

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

South Carolina Electric & Gas Company's Integrated
Resource Plan (IRP)

BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COVER SHEET

DOCKET

NUMBER: 2012 - 9 - E

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April 18, 2012

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd
Chief Clerk/Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: South Carolina Electric & Gas Company – Integrated Resource Plan
(IRP)
Docket No. 2012-9-E

Dear Ms. Boyd:

By Order No. 2012-153, dated February 22, 2012, issued in the above-referenced docket, the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (“Commission”) granted South Carolina Electric & Gas Company (“SCE&G” or “Company”) an extension of time until April 30, 2012, to file its annual Integrated Resource Plan (“IRP”). Since that time two important events have occurred – both of which impact the IRP. On March 30, 2012, the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission (“NRC”) approved SCE&G’s application for a combined construction and operating license (“COL”) concerning the new nuclear units (the “Units”) to be located at the V.C. Summer Nuclear Station near Jenkinsville, South Carolina. Additionally, and in advance of the NRC’s decision, SCE&G entered into a preliminary agreement with Westinghouse Electric Company and The Shaw Group, Inc. Under the preliminary agreement and as a result of the delayed issuance of the COL, the Units are now expected to be completed in 2017 and 2018.

SCE&G has been working diligently in analyzing the effects of modifying the substantial completion dates for the Units but additional time is necessary to complete its analysis. Therefore, SCE&G respectfully requests an extension of time for an additional thirty (30) days so that it may complete its analysis and finalize its IRP to account for these events. By extending the deadline for SCE&G to file its IRP, the Company will be able to provide the Commission with the latest information about the Units and their impact on SCE&G’s electric system.

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According to our calculations, if the Commission grants this request, then the Company will have until May 30, 2012, to file its IRP.

By copy of this letter, we are informing the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff of the Company's request.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "K. Chad Burgess", with a stylized flourish at the end.

K. Chad Burgess

KCB/kms

cc: John W. Flitter
Jeffery M. Nelson, Esquire
(both via electronic and U.S. First Class Mail)